

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814



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ALL-COUNTY LETTER NO. 79-61

• TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: FOSTER CARE REGISTRY


REFERENCE:

Effective with receipt of this letter, the submission of Foster Care Registry Form (SOC 158) to the Department of Social Services has been suspended.

In lieu of submission of these forms, two Foster Care Characteristics Surveys will be conducted during the next 12 months. The purpose of the surveys will be to collect selected characteristics information on Foster Care recipients. This information will be used to analyze and estimate the effect of court cases, proposed legislation and regulations, to prepare the budget, to facilitate decision-making, and to determine what modifications to the Foster Care Registry will be necessary to make it a more responsive system.

If you have any questions, contact Les Newman or Martha Mills of the Statistical Services Bureau at (916) 323-2380.

Sincerely,



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cc: CWDA